PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)		Docket No. 68862/00008

In Re Application Of: **COLLINS, Jeffrey; et al.**
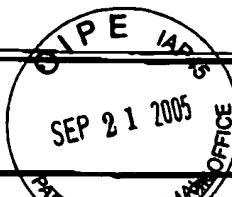
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Application No. 10/798,299	Filing Date 03/12/2004	Examiner ROY, Baisakhi	Customer No. 27871	Group Art Unit 3737	Confirmation No. 5778

Invention: **ROTARY ULTRASOUND SCANNER FOR SOFT TISSUE EXAMINATION**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of _____ 03/23/2005 _____ in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month   ☐ Two months   ☒ Three months   ☐ Four months   ☐ Five months

from: _____ June 23, 2005 _____   until: _____ September 23, 2005 _____
Date   _Date_

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is $510   and is to be paid as follows:

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.   02-2553

☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-2553

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

Dated: Sept. 21, 2005

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